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HOUSE RESOLUTION 60
By Brown

A RESOLUTION to honor and commend Mr. Art Woolsen for his meritorious service to the Ooltewah community.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that this General Assembly should pay tribute to those sterling individuals who, through their hard work, expertise, and dedication, have pieced together the enduring fabrics that comprise the grand tapestry of the United States of America; and

WHEREAS, Art Woolsen is one such remarkable public servant, a voice of integrity in the Ooltewah community; and

WHEREAS, originally from Ohio, Mr. Woolsen spent most of his life in Louisville, Kentucky before moving to the fine city of Ooltewah; and

WHEREAS, he answered "Uncle Sam's" patriotic call to duty by honorably serving with great distinction in our country's armed forces; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Woolsen is the quintessential "pillar of society" who has given unreservedly of himself for the betterment of his community and the quality of life for his fellow citizens; and

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WHEREAS, known as a "true gentleman", Art Woolsen still enjoys a good game of golf; and

WHEREAS, throughout his excellent service with the praiseworthy organization, Senior Neighbors of Chattanooga, Mr. Woolsen has adhered to the common sense approach and has displayed the common touch in all endeavors, working well with old and young alike; and

WHEREAS, Art Woolsen loves to play with his great-grandchildren and entertains them by demonstrating his prowess on the ukulele and telling them stories about their great-grandmother's wonderful home-cooking, particularly her homemade mincemeat pies; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Woolsen is a never-ending source of inspiration to those who know and cherish him and is tremendously admired by friends and associates; and

WHEREAS, it is rare when a person of Art Woolsen's stature walks among us; his brilliance shines down on us as he works assiduously to improve the quality of life for all citizens; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Woolsen will be honored and recognized at a special "Seniors in the Nineties" presentation at the Ooltewah Branch of Senior Neighbors of Chattanooga on May 19, 1999; and

WHEREAS, highly regarded as a professional and a friend, Art Woolsen is the perfect example of a person totally committed to the highest ideals of public service and should be specially recognized; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIRST GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, That we hereby honor and commend Mr. Art Woolsen upon his meritorious service to the good people of the Ooltewah community. We thank him for his years of generous efforts to improve the lives of the citizens of our state and wish him all of the best in his future endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.